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## INTELLIGENCE

THE ROYAL CITY

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.

**MADAME DORIAN'S FRENCH  
OPERA COMIQUE COMPANY**  
will have the honour of giving their  
**FIRST PERFORMANCE**  
**TO-MORROW (TUESDAY)**  
at the 23rd instant.  
When will be presented Lescage's "OPERA  
COMIQUE in Three Acts"  
**"GIROFLE-GIROFLA"**

For Particulars see Programme.

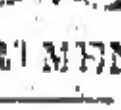
**PRICES OF ADMISSION :**  
Dress Circle and -alls ..... \$2.  
Boxes ..... \$1.  
Dress seats at 8; Performance to commence  
9 o'Clock.  
Tickets may be had, and Seats secured at  
Messrs. KNUSS & Co.'s, also at the Door of the  
Theatre on the Night of Performance.  
HONGKONG, 22nd March, 1880. [483]

**FOR MANILA, VIA OYAY.**  
THE Spanish Steamer

of "EMUY,"  
Captain Blanco, will be despatched for the above  
Porter TO-day, the 22nd instant, at 4 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage apply to  
**REMEDIOS & Co.**  
Hongkong, 22nd March, 1880. [487]

**FOR BANGKOK.**

"DALE."  
James Thompson, Cambodge, will be despatched  
for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 27th  
instant, at Daylight.  
For Freight, apply to  
YUEN FAT HONG,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 29th March, 1880. [49]  
FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
THE Al American Ship  
"WM. H. MARCY."  
Agency, Master, will load here for the above  
Port, and will leave on board despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, 22nd March, 1880. [498]  
S U N I N G,  
DEALER IN SILKS,  
CANTON GAVES, EMBROIDERED GRAPE  
HAWKS, LACQUERED AND IVORY WARES, CE-  
ROSTES, CROCHETS, INLaid CHAIRS AND  
FABRIC China Ware, &c., &c.,  
GOLD AND SILVER JEWELLERS,  
ENGRAVER ON STAMPS, SEALS, &c.,  
No. 42A, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.  
NOW READY.  
Y O U N G J A P A N .  
Vol. I, \$5.00.  
KELLY AND WALSH.



**WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS.**  
**TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.**  
**BIENNIAL CONTRACTS, HONGKONG.**

**TENDERS** are required for the PERFORM-  
ANCE of such WORKS and REPAIRS, and  
the SUPPLY of such BUILDING MA-  
TERIALS as may be required to WAR DE-  
PARTMENT BUILDINGS at HONGKONG, including  
a Hospital Ship "MEYANER", Kowloon, Kel-  
ter's Stonemason's, and Green Islands, Stanley,  
and a War Department Barracks, and Wanchai.

Persons wishing to Tender may obtain in-  
structions, with Forms of Tender, and Schedules  
of PRICES, on application to the Royal Engineer-  
Office, the Commissariat Buildings, up to 25th  
March, 1880.

A sum of £250 will be charged for this  
schedule.

The Secretary of State for War reserves the  
right of rejecting any or all of the Tenders.

Tenders will be received up to NOON on the  
14th inst.

C. R. SHERVINGTON, Lieut. Colonel,  
District Commissary-General,  
Commissariat,  
Hongkong, 18th March, 1880.

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have always on hand a Stock of Messrs. BROADWOOD & SON'S PIANOFORTES various styles for SALE, on Hire, or on a term combining hire with purchase, by which cost of the purchase money is paid at once, and a balance by monthly instalments extending for three years.

MR. DOUGLAS DALE has practical experience as a PIANO TUNER and REPAIRER, having passed through Messrs. BROADWOOD'S factories, and any work entrusted to him will be carefully and efficiently performed.

Inspection of Pianos in stock is invited.

Hongkong, 15th March, 1880. [Lm46]

DENTAL NOTICE.

MR. ROGERS leaves Hongkong on the 1st April for Shanghai, at which port he will remain during the summer.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1880. 582

NOTICE.

ADIES or GENTLEMEN wishing to become SUBSCRIBERS to a "SKATING RINK" will please send their applications. Address to the Editor of "ONE of the papers" of Hongkong, 6th March, 1880. [414]

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS,**  
 Notice is hereby given that the NINTH  
 ORDINARY MEETING of the SHARE-  
 HOLDERS in the above Company will be held  
 at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on  
 THURSDAY, the 21st December, 1880, at 3  
 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of receiving the  
 report of the Directors, together with a State-  
 ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1879.  
 THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
 will be CLOSED from 1st March to the 27th  
 March, both days inclusive.  
 By Order of the Board,  
 J. BRADLEE SMITH,  
 Secretary.  
 Hongkong, 11th March, 1880. [49  
**CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE**  
**COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
 From this date, and during the absence of  
 W. H. RAY from this Colony, Mr. B.  
 H. NELSON, is appointed Acting  
 Clerk to the Company.  
 H. H. NELSON,  
 Chairman.  
 Hongkong, 21st February, 1880. [1m350  
**ONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**  
CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested  
to send in an Account of Business contributed  
during the half year ended 31st December, 1879,  
before March 31st, on which date the ac-  
counts will be closed.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.







## VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING

**BERTH.**  
NE.  
ET COMPANY.  
K, VIA OVER-  
OUCHING AT  
FRANCISCO.  
CITY OF PE.

**MAILS EX.**  
THE INDIA  
The two direct steamers  
mail, left Calcutta on the  
be expected to arrive here  
April.  
THE AMERIC  
The O. and O. steamers

will be despatched  
... on MON-  
... at 1 P.M., taking  
... Japan, the United  
... American mail, will leave  
... and may be expected here  
...  
**POST-OFFICE**  
...  
**A MAIL WAGON**  
For Amoy and Manilla  
the 22nd instant, at 3.30  
For Swatow, Amoy,  
Nasea, to-day, the 22nd

For Saigon.—Per Amoy, instant, at 5 P.M.  
For Amoy, Tamsui, and  
along, to-morrow, the 23rd inst.  
For Bangkok.—Per Davao, instant, at 9 A.M.

His Excellency the Governor-General, under Section XI of the Ordinance, 1876, that the Correspondence posted a Europe. America, the

pany Overland  
company's Offices  
to the Collector

Shanghai, &c., shall be 1  
as hitherto.

**MAILS BY THE U**  
**PACE**  
The United States' Ma  
PEKING" will be despa  
the 22nd March, with  
Francisco, the United S  
Pern, &c., which will be  
0.15 p.m. Registry ceases

POINT DE  
MALTA.  
NICE, MED-  
RITS.  
LONDON,  
UTTA.

**MAILS BY THE FRIGATE**

**AGENCIES**  
**FRANCAIS.**  
**AVIA, POINT**  
**SUEZ.**  
**NAPLES.**  
**ES;**  
**CALCUTTA.**

The French Contract P  
will be despatched on WE  
March, with Mails to an  
Kingdom and Europe, et  
Straits Settlements, Batavia  
the Australasian Colonies  
Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, M

**HOURS FOR CLOSING**  
**MAILS.**  
THE ENGLISH MAIL.—E

5 P.M. Money Order Office  
 5.30 P.M. Post Office closes  
 the night box, which is  
 office hours.  
 8 P.M. Post Office opens.  
 9 P.M. Registry of Letters  
 all printed matter and p  
 10 P.M. Mails closed, except  
 10.10 P.M. Letters may  
 Fee of 10 cents until  
 10.30 P.M., when the Post  
 10.40 P.M. Take Letters

until 4 P.M.  
 on the 30th  
 to be sent  
 the Agency's  
 Packages are  
 at the Com-  
 AMPEAUX,  
 rent.

AMSHIP CO.  
HONOLULU KOBE.  
Captains  
about the 29th  
on SATUR-  
day.  
Parcels at the  
\$2 Freight.  
REGULATIONS AS TO SOLLETTED  
LETTERS  
1. - Privates in  
commissioned officers,  
not Succeeded Officer.

be settled on otherwise they  
GE.  
Storage \$15.  
Storage \$20.  
a RETURN  
rasaki will be  
in steamer at

and not by the mail packets.  
4.—Private steamers leave London about every ten days to seven weeks on the voyage.  
5.—The letters must not be in handkerchiefs, jewellers' boxes, or the ends open.  
6.—If from a Soldier or description must be stated in the cover of which must be the commanding Officer, with name &c. in full.

will be des-  
tined Yokohama,  
April, 1890, at  
least for Japan,  
and South-

fastened with sealing Wax,  
pression of a seal.

The attention of boxholders  
necessity of carefully sealing  
some recognisable seal, and  
book or receipt with them  
the latter precaution leaves  
ther the contents of the box  
Post Office; the omission of  
whether part of them might  
abstracted for the sake of the

Overland,  
American Cargo  
Offices, ad-  
s, San Fran-  
Freight: or  
Company,  
MEMORY,  
int.

To provide means of remittance of money to or from this City of the Ports of China, the Postage of this Office are allowed (to purchase Hongkong Postage) to reign residents.

The Stamps tendered for exceed \$50 in value, must be in good condition, and in strips no separate Stamps will be must be presented personal

by a note.

Letters containing Stamp  
tered, and the Stamps should  
observation.

Correspondence for the W  
those belonging to the Posta  
hamas, and Hayti), for Monte  
and Uruguay can no longer  
Francisco.

A Pillar Box has been estab

Point Police Station (opposite Home), and another at the Harbour Department.

The hours of clearance are as follows:

West Point .....	.....
Harbour Department .....	.....

Letters arrive at the Post Office Correspondence of all kinds in box before the first clearance be in time for the Homeward Mail at all seasons and in all seasons.

livered the same day.

Residents who keep a post office in this Office may post local letters in these boxes without stamps, provided the name or recognised device appears on the envelope.

Local correspondence means letters to Hong Kong, Bangkok, or the Ports of Call.

\* Mail closing at this hour will ensure the Messenger arrives from the Ports of Call on the same day.



1.00 to 1.08
\$2.24 to 2.28
\$2.12 to 2.15

... ..	\$19.90 to 1.85
... ..	\$19.00 to 14.70
... ..	\$2.00 to 3.00
... per pical ...	\$2.00 to 2.60
... ..	\$2.10 to 2.12
... ..	\$2.04 to 2.06
... ..	\$1.02 to 1.98
... ..	\$1.02 to 1.04
... ..	\$1.07 to 2.00
... ..	\$1.79 to 1.84
... ..	\$1.75 to 1.27
... ..	\$2.10 to 2.09
... ..	\$6.25 to 6.35
... ..	\$2.65 to 3.00
... ..	\$2.10 to 3.43
... ..	\$4.55 to 4.75
... ..	\$2.65 to 3.85
... ..	\$3.00 to 3.00
... ..	\$27.00 to 28.00
... ..	\$2.00 to 3.00
... ..	\$2.00 to 6.50
... ..	\$0.85 to 7.25
... ..	\$12.50 to 12.50
... ..	\$10.35 to 1-30
... ..	\$8.30 to 5.50
... ..	\$1.35 to 4.00
... ..	\$2.85 to 2.25
... ..	\$1.50 to 22.55
... ..	\$1.60 to 1.75
... ..	\$1.80 to 5.05
... ..	\$1.80 to 8.20
... ..	\$2.05 to 0.75
... ..	\$2.05 to 5.15
... ..	\$2.05 to 10.00
... ..	\$1.10 to 12.00
... ..	\$7.35 to 5.15
... ..	\$2.80 to 7.00
... ..	\$8.25 to 4.50
... ..	\$2.15 to 2.45
... ..	\$2.15 to 2.18
... ..	Tls. 6.20 to 6.50
... ..	\$2.85 to 2.95

DESTINATION.

ASSIGNMENTS.	
A.	
JANUARY, 1880.	
Bell & Co	U. States
Bell & Co	England
Bell & Co	Sydney
Dye & Co	New York
Hubbard & Co	New York
Bell & Co	England
Hubbard & Co	New York
Liverpool	
Storouzen	
Hinest & Co	
Dye & Co	
FEBRUARY, 1880.	

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<p> Sing  mess  mess  R. &amp; Co  Hoe  Hoe  Mah Tong  mess  M. &amp; Co  mess  mess  T. &amp; Co  mess  T. &amp; Co  mess  Tack  T. &amp; Co  Seng  mess  J. &amp; Co </p>	<p> Singapore  Nagasaki  Singapore  Singapore  En route to Na'ki  Singapore  Takao  Hongkong  Hongkong </p>
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## Tientsin

AND JAPAN STATION.	
CAPTAIN.	WHERE AT.
in Schuss	Yokohama
Commander Huntington	Yokohama
Commander Johnston	Shanghai
in Amosoff	en route H.K.
in Mishaud	Yokohama
in Naumoff	en route to En-
Com. Schultmann	Amoy (route)
Commander Livron	Manchuria
in Koltoban	Nagasaki
Commander Stark	Vladivostock
in Mletchin	Hongkong
Commander Schuring	en route S'hai
Commander Fennir	Tientsin
in P. Naumoff	en route H.K.
Commander Semper	Shanghai
Commander Reinkeff	Macao
in Kolobova	en route H.K.
Commander Valonoff	Vladivostock
Commander Green	Tientsin
in MacLean	Yokohama
in Ottokoff	en route H.K.
in Benham	en route Amoy
Commander Boyle	Tientsin
Com. Gelmaras	Macao
in Algis	Hongkong
in Gromoll	Manila
Commander Esch	Nagasaki
Commander Esch	en route S'hai
in, Dulce of Genoa	Nagasaki

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LADRON.	
COMMANDER.	STATION.
in	Tong-king Gulf
in Swatow	Swatow
in Canton	Canton
in West Coast	West Coast
in Canton River	Canton River
in Pak-hoi	Pak-hoi
in Bogue Forts	Bogue Forts
in Bogue Forts	Bogue Forts
in West Coast	West Coast
in Repasin	Repasin
in Borne Forts	Borne Forts
in Chang-show	Chang-show
in Ning-shan	Ning-shan
in Canton River	Canton River
in West Coast	West Coast

Wanchau Street, Hongkong.